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Christmas Suggestions!



Suit Hat
Overcoat
Underwear
Neckwear
Gloves Hosiery
Shirts
Night Robes
Suspenders
Mufflers,
Umbrellas
Collars and Cuffs
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Christmas Bells Will Soon be Ringing

And the old problem of "What shall I give him for Christmas?" will once more confront you.

We have made a few suggestions above and should you fail to find a suitable item on the list we would be pleased to have you call and will do all in our power to assist you.

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ACUTE SITUATION IN TODD COUNTY.

American Snuff Company's
Factory at Elkton
Blown up.

TRAIN HELD UP.
The Trenton Fire and Elkton Outrage Greatly Deplored By Law-Abiding Citizens.

Elkton, Ky., Dec. 12.—The latest and most sensational developments in the contest between the Dark Tobacco Growers' Protective Association and the buyers for the trust were the dynamiting of a factory here to-day and the boarding of a train near here last night by armed and masked men, who stated that they were in search of tobacco-buyers.

It was this morning about 1:30 o'clock that the factory owned by Mrs. M. B. Penick was blown to atoms by a charge of dynamite. The factory was near the railroad, and was used by the local agents of the American Snuff Company. The explosion damaged several nearby houses and also several passenger coaches at the depot.

It was Elkton and Guthrie train No. 86 that the masked crowd, variously estimated as numbering from forty to 200 persons, boarded last night. They covered the engineer with revolvers, and a party of them went through the train. The seeming leader of the crowd calmed the fears of the passengers by stating that they were searching for tobacco-buyers. None was found on the train, and after the fruitless search had ended the crowd ordered the train to proceed.

The Situation Acute.

The situation in Todd county is acute, and while the great mass of people deplore the condition and hope that no further acts of violence will mark the contests between the Dark Tobacco Grower's Protective Association and the buyers for the Trust, there is general fear for the safety of the representatives of the Trust, who, in the general excitement, may be singled out as the victims of a lawless element, taking advantage of the situation.

Members of the association openly deplore the burning and dynamiting of factories, and asserts that representative members of the association are in no way responsible for the lawless acts committed by a few.

Much Alarm Is Felt.

The acts of violence following so closely on the burning of factories at Trenton, this county, have caused alarm, and citizens who sympathize with the tobacco association, but deplore the outrages, are considering steps to preserve the good name of the community. It is probable that the citizens, most of them members of the association, will raise a fund of \$1,000 to be offered as a reward for the arrest of the persons guilty of these acts of violence.

Last Friday night the factory of Chestnut Brothers, at Trenton, was burned down, entailing a loss of \$9,000, covered by \$4,000 insurance. About 5,000 pounds of tobacco was burned, but it was fully insured. Chestnut Brothers and J. P. Russell are representatives of the trust. Chestnut Brothers' factory was burned after midnight, and when the fire was discovered it had gained such headway that nothing could be done to save the building. A short time afterward the factory of J. P. Russell was discovered to be ablaze, but citizens, forming a bucket brigade, extinguished the fire.

Approaching Crisis.

Preceding these outbreaks the trouble between the association and the trust had been brewing and approaching a crisis. At conferences

SOUTHERN TELEGRAPH.

Name of New Company In
Telephone Mat-
ters.

FIGHT WAGERS WARM.
Interesting Telephone Matter From a Pulaski, Tenn., Paper.

We have never expected the enemy—ours and yours—to keep still.

We have met them on many fields. And we know their methods. In war an honorable enemy always appears in its own uniform.

If a soldier is caught in a uniform other than his own, he is shot as a spy.

A company known as the Southern Telegraph Association has appeared in the field between Hopkinsville and Henderson since we came here.

They never appeared before.

Why? We know the agents of the Cumberland Company have induced men, for wages, to go into this field to secure options for franchises for the Southern Telegraph Association.

If the Cumberland denies this we will publish affidavits in proof of it. We think these agents themselves are the subjects of imposition by their employers.

We quote the following from the Nashville Daily American:

"The Tennessee Telephone & Telegraph Company of inglorious memory, it is believed, has a counterpart in the Southern Telegraph Company. Sanford Duncan, President of the former company, is one of the three charter members of the latter, which was incorporated under the laws of New Jersey, and which filed an abstract of its charter with the Secretary of State of Tennessee in March 1901. The other incorporators of the company are John T. Landis, who was President of the News Publishing Company, which was supposed to be controlled by the Cumberland Telephone Company, and G. H. B. Martin, of New Jersey.

It will be recalled that the Tennessee Company was regarded as a dummy fostered by the Cumberland Company and organized for the purpose of frustrating the efforts of the Home Company to secure a franchise in this city. A bill granting it a franchise was introduced in the City Council on the same night as the Home bill. The history of the former bill was published and it was finally rejected, only three Councilmen voting for it. It is hardly probable that after its inglorious defeat that it will be again revived. Another company, however, also supposed to be a dummy company, may perform the offices which the Tennessee Company was expected to perform.

The Hopkinsville Home Telephone Company and The Independent Long Distance Co. are endeavoring to secure rights of way along various turnpikes and roads from Hopkinsville to Henderson Kentucky. Many rights of way in the State have already been secured, and a valid consideration has been given by the company for them.

It is reported that the Southern Telegraph Association, the company referred to as having been granted a charter by the State of New Jersey, has been endeavoring to induce property owners who have granted rights of way to the Long Distance Company to rescind their grants and to give it options on the rights of way. The Southern Telegraph Association, it is said, offered the property owners \$10 a pole for each pole it might put up in event it built the telegraph or telephone line it ostensibly proposed to build. It is said it has succeeded in securing a number of options on rights of way previously acquired by the Long Distance Company, but

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these options are not regarded as valid, the latter company having previously given valid considerations for them.

J. C. Symmes, purchasing agent of the Cumberland Company, took the acknowledgment of the local incorporators of the execution of their articles of incorporation.

While this is called a Telegraph Association under its charter, it is expressly authorized to do telephone business.

The Nashville American further said, editorially, and referring to this same subject:

"There can be no stronger argument for telephone communication than these desperate methods employed by the monopoly. What enormous profit the monopoly must be making if it pays it to organize and maintain fly-by-night concerns with which to fight competition, and how conclusively it admits, by such action, competition to be most effective in reducing its excessive profits.

Now we have quoted the foregoing as a preface to some remarks we shall make.

Last week "The Record" of Pulaski Tenn. printed under double headlines,

"FRAUD ALLEGED.

"BILL AGAINST LONG DISTANCE TELEPHONE & TELEGRAPH CO. FILED AT FRANKLIN."

a hullabaloo about a bill filed against this company by H. Moore and wife, alleging the fraud of this company in securing a right of way by their lands and asking that the same be rescinded and cancelled for the fraud alleged.

This looked like an ordinary news item.

It wasn't though. It was a Cumberland advertisement paid, or to be paid for at the usual rates.

The object was to put us in disrepute—if they could, And to discredit our representatives in this field.

By suppression of truth or suggestions of falsehood they endeavor to stifle competition.

Mr. Moore says he was induced to bring this suit by an agent of the Cumberland Telephone & Telegraph Company, Parmina Cox, of Franklin, on his assurance that he would be furnished a lawyer by his company free of charge and that the suit would cost him nothing. Mr. Moore has found out his mistake and offers to dismiss his bill.

Suppose we should begin to publish accounts of the various suits,

that have been brought against the Cumberland?

Would it argue anything in our favor?

Certainly not. It would only show that we are as small and unscrupulous in our methods as the Cumberland.

And whatever else we may be, we are not that.

We were informed yesterday by the parties themselves that Mr. Will Townsend, representing himself as an agent of the Southern Telegraph Association, had been endeavoring to induce them to bring suit against us on allegations of fraud to have a right of way granted to us cancelled.

We were told that he promised for his company that they would furnish a lawyer free and defray all the expenses of the suit.

And asked them to meet the company's attorney, Maj. Ewing, at Lynnville Saturday.

Maj. Ewing was at Lynnville Saturday.

And so these people propose to use unsuspecting citizens as cats paws to make trouble for us.

No one knows better than the Cumberland that we are building and will continue to build our lines.

They know that if we did not secure a right of way we could never the less run our lines delay us only adds to their revenues the money we will get when our line is completed.

And so they are willing to resort to these means and to spend this money in order that they may save more money.

It is Tuesday afternoon, 3:45 o'clock.

This very afternoon Mr. Townsend and an associate have had a long talk with certain persons we can name, at Lynnville, after which they called up Mr. C. L. Meyers of the Cumberland company and had a talk with him about these matters.

These same persons have signed rights of way for us.

Now what business has the Cumberland and its dummy to "monkey" with our rights there?

Wonder if this is maintenance. Maintenance is an old common law offense and is thus defined:

"At common law, maintenance is an officious inter-meddling in a suit that no way belongs to one, by maintaining or assisting either party, with money or otherwise, to prosecute or defend it, and signifies an unlawful taking in hand or upholding of quarrels or suits."

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Fancy Chocolate per lb. 30c.
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Mixed Candy 3 lbs. for 25c.

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STATESMEN'S DUELS.

Challenges to Moral Combat Are Sent Even in These Times in England.

The earl of Kimberley's much discussed challenge to Col. Sypwell is a reminder that though the days of duelling are considered to have passed in England, the fighting spirit will break out on occasions.

Not very long ago Mr. Winston Churchill was challenged to an encounter a l'outrance by an irate constituent at Oldham.

Lord Beaconsfield once challenged O'Connell to a duel, but the famous statesman found himself bound over to keep the peace in a police court instead of departing across the channel to blow out the brains of his political opponent.

O'Connell himself fought a duel with a member of the Irish house of commons named D'Esterre and killed his opponent.

Another fatal duel was that in which Lord Camelford, one of the most confirmed duellists of his day and a man who had the death of more than one fellow creature on his hands, was killed by Mr. Best.

The last duel fought in Ireland was between a mayor of Sligo and a member of the legal profession, but honors were declared easy, for nothing happened.

Mr. Tierney charged Pitt with "obstructing the defenses of the country," and that oratorical observation sounded so terrible in the ears of the eminent statesman that he sent his seconds to Mr. Tierney.

The two met at three o'clock one Sunday morning at Putney heath, not far from the Kingston road, fired two shots at each other and then returned home quite well for breakfast.

Charles James Fox, Pitt's brilliant rival, took occasion to make some scathing observations on the powder supplied by the war office and promptly received a challenge from Mr. Adams. Fox accepted, the duel was fought, and the statesman was wounded.

"Adams," he is reported to have said on that lamentable occasion, "I do believe you'd have killed me if you hadn't used government powder."

WORKING A MORAL REMEDY

Rheumatism Cure Causes Victim to Be Tossed by Bull and Life Goes with Disease.

"Speaking of rheumatism," said the drummer, as he snugly shook his head, "I had a brother who was afflicted with it for six years. He tried half a dozen different springs, but he found no relief. At length he determined to try heroic measures. That is, I advised him to do something in that direction as a forlorn hope, and he thought the tip a good one."

"What did he try?" was asked.
"He went out into a pasture and faced a bull that had tossed half a dozen men sky high. We figured that when the bull snorted for him with head down and tail up the scare would drive the rheumatism out, and he would strike a 2-40 gait for the fence."

"And how did it work?"

"Three minutes after the bull caught sight of Charley his rheumatism was gone, never to return."

"You don't say?"
"But I do; and Charley was gone with it. He never knew how high he went when the bull got his horns under him, and he never knew what a hole he made in the ground when he came down."

"Then your—your advice—"
"Was the worst thing he could have followed, sir and it was a great moral lesson to me. Since that time I have made it a practice to drink alone instead of advising or encouraging a fellowman to wreck his soul, and as this is my usual time for taking a cocktail, you gentlemen will please excuse me for five minutes."

Unhappy Lamb.

A so-called "happy family" P. T. Barnum used to exhibit consisted of a lion, a tiger, a bear, a wolf, and a lamb all penned together in one cage. "Remarkable," a visitor said to Mr. Barnum, "remarkable, impressive, instructive! And how long have these animals dwelt together in this way?" "Seven months," Barnum answered, "but the lamb has occasionally to be renewed."

MEACHAM'S MAP OF Christian County.

A new and up-to-date map of the county, corrected and revised to Dec. 1, 1905, will be issued about Dec. 10. It will show all voting precincts in colors, magisterial districts, cities, towns, villages, railway stations, rivers, creeks, turnpikes, county roads, railroads and Rural Free Delivery routes. It will give the area of the county, population and natural resources.

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• **Chas. M. Meacham.** •

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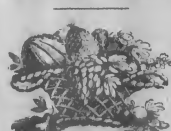
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Hogan on the After Effects of Christmas

Nora Had to Live Up to the Present the Boss Gave Him and the Results Were Disastrous.

"On Christmas Eve th' boss meets me as I'm comin' into th' office," said Old Man Hogan. "Merry Christmas," he says, handin' me a twinty dollar gold piece. 'Ye smoke, don't ye?' he says. 'Will, here's a little somethin' to ray-umbl' me in th' mornin'.' He gives me a little silver match box. 'Now,' he says, 'ye'll always know where to find a light.'

"Dear man! He mint will. But that little silver contraption is sure to last me in th' bankruptcy court bayfure Nora sits through livin' up to it."

"I takes th' twinty and th' match box home wid me in th' mornin'."

"Here, Nora," I says to herself, 'is twinty dollars th' boss sint home to ye for a Christmas present. An' look at this silver match box he g' me!'

"O, ain't it lovely," she says, grabbin' th' match box an' payin' no attin-



"NORA," I SAYS, THIRTYN' HARD NOT TO SHOW HOW MAD I WAS

tion at all th' gold piece. 'Why, it's all carved wid birds an' grapevines on it,' she says. 'It's perfectly flight. Now ye go on to hid an' git a good day's shape. I'll wake ye up for dinner,' she says.

"I hear her goin' out th' front dure bayfure I git to shape an' when I git up at noon they's a paste board box layin' in me place on th' table in th' kitchen. I opens it, while Nora dances around like a kid lookin' to see what's in it's stockin'."

"I unwraps a lot av tishy paper an' there's an av thim long German clay pipe."

"I couldn't have ye lightin' a dirty little black dudder wid a silver match box like that th' boss give ye," she says, 'so I run out an' got ye a handsome pipe as a part av th' twinty.'

"Nora," I says, thiryn' hard not to show how mad I was, ar-r-r-ye thinkin' av havin' soukrout for Christmas dinner? 'Was I'll do wid this thing?'

"I says, holdin' up th' pipe. 'Do ye expect me to give up th' A. O. H. an' jine th' Sangerbund?'

"I expect ye to smoke it, av course," she says. 'Don't ye see how it jist matches th' carvin' on th' match box?'

"It bein' Christmas Day I used, no wonder, an' thried to smoke th' big machine, scaldin' th' inside av me mouth entirely in so doin'."

"Nora," I says, when I started to work on th' pipe, 'I'll have this pipe an' match box at home. Sure I might be found wid thim on me an' th'at'd cancel me insurance in th' Ciana-Gael!'

"Well, sorry, when I got home nixt mornin' Nora met me at th' door. She bad on a long shift like a night gown, o'ny 'twas pink, tied up an' down th' front wid blue ribbons."

"Mither av Moses," I says, 'ar-r-ye ye have me sympathy.'

"T'n minutes after he wint out Nora told me she really thought a man wid a smokin' jacket like mine—to say nothin' av th' match safe an' th' meersbach pipe—ought to have a silk hat an' a white get home tountry mornin' I'm fully expectin' there'll be a naughtymobli standin' out in front av th' dure."

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ar-r-r- these? I asks, feelin' wan av th' loops that run down war side av th' thing."

"O thim," she says. 'Why, don't you know what thim ar-r-r-? Thim ar-r-r- th' frugs. They're genuine silk-k,' she says, wid her nose in th' air.

"An' here am I," I says, 'a rasyptibol mumber av Camp Twinty, wid a German pipe in me mouth an' Ar-r-r- frogs runnin' across me stomach. Ar-r-r- shades all pulled down?'

"Why, this afternoon," she wint on, payin' no attin' at all to me, 'Casey's old woman come in to pass th' time av hid an' I showed th' pipe an' th' match safe. 'O yis,' she says, miffin', 'they're purty enough. It's too bad, though, somebody didn't give Pat a smokin' jacket like my man has.'

"It ain't like we couldn't have 'em if we wanted 'em, I'd have ye know, I says, 'an' when she wint I goes over to th' store an' picks these out. Ain't they lovely?'

"Come," I says, daycidin' right av I'd say nothin' more until I could git in th' doc for an examination, 'come an' it's all about to break fast.'

"We sit down in th' kitchen, still wearin' our fancy dries costume an' thim I noticed the ham an' eggs an' th' hris an' butt, she wint on th' table.

"Where's th' grub?" I says, feelin' sure now they was somethin' wrong wid th' poor woman.

"Why, Pat," she says, Nora, grinnin' across th' table at me, wid a wild luck in her eyes, 'It ain't th' proper thing to have any food on th' table. Ye should serve it in coursties. Will ye be havin' a little fruit?' she says, startin' to blip me to some dried appies.

"I will not," I says, mad enough now to haygin throwin' th' dries. 'I'll have a great deal. An' I'll have Doc MacNamara in bayfure noon to see what's allin' ye, too. Thim,' I says, 'is damn nonsensical, no less.'

"Pat," she says, 'don't talk so coorse. Think av yere new smokin' jacket an' yere silver match safe an' thry to act like a gint. Do ye know, Pat,' she says, 'I'm thinkin' that after this we'll eat in th' front room. It ain't right that people wid clothes like we've got on should eat in th' kitchen, now does it?'

"Nora," I says, 'it does not. Th' proper place for thim to eat is in th' wint war-r-d at th' Detention hospital. But

"I hear her goin' out th' front dure bayfure I git to shape an' when I git up at noon they's a paste board box layin' in me place on th' table in th' kitchen. I opens it, while Nora dances around like a kid lookin' to see what's in it's stockin'."

"I unwraps a lot av tishy paper an' there's an av thim long German clay pipe."

"I couldn't have ye lightin' a dirty little black dudder wid a silver match box like that th' boss give ye," she says, 'so I run out an' got ye a handsome pipe as a part av th' twinty.'

"Nora," I says, thiryn' hard not to show how mad I was, ar-r-r-ye thinkin' av havin' soukrout for Christmas dinner? 'Was I'll do wid this thing?'

"I says, holdin' up th' pipe. 'Do ye expect me to give up th' A. O. H. an' jine th' Sangerbund?'

"I expect ye to smoke it, av course," she says. 'Don't ye see how it jist matches th' carvin' on th' match box?'

"It bein' Christmas Day I used, no wonder, an' thried to smoke th' big machine, scaldin' th' inside av me mouth entirely in so doin'."

"Nora," I says, when I started to work on th' pipe, 'I'll have this pipe an' match box at home. Sure I might be found wid thim on me an' th'at'd cancel me insurance in th' Ciana-Gael!'

"Well, sorry, when I got home nixt mornin' Nora met me at th' door. She bad on a long shift like a night gown, o'ny 'twas pink, tied up an' down th' front wid blue ribbons."

"Mither av Moses," I says, 'ar-r-ye ye have me sympathy.'

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Cured Paralysis

W. F. Reily, P. O. True, Texas, writes: "My wife had been suffering long five years with paralysis in her arm, when I was persuaded to use Ballard's Snow Liniment, which cured her all right. I have also used it for my wife's rheumatism and skin eruptions. It does the work." Sold by Cook & Higgins.

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Garrard county waking up to idea of development.

The Christmas Dinner.

In spite of the fact that the word dyspepsia means literally bad cook, it will not be fair for many to lay the blame on the cook if they begin the Christmas Dinner with little appetite and end it with distress or nausea. It may not be fair for any to do that—that I use he so for the sake of the cook! The disease dyspepsia indicates a bad stomach, that is a weak stomach, rather than a bad cook, and for a weak stomach there is nothing else equal to Hood's Sarsaparilla. It gives the stomach vigor and tone, eases dyspepsia, creates appetite, and makes eating the pleasure it should be.

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The Weather.

For Kentucky: Thursday partly cloudy and colder.

In spite of C. M. Barnett's fight to hold his place, W. C. Dearing's name was sent to the Senate Monday for Surveyor of the Port of Louisville.

Former Congressman John F. Fitzgerald, Democrat, was elected Mayor of Boston by a plurality of 8,389 over Louis A. Frothingham, Republican.

Hon. Mun Wilson, of Hopkins county, has set out on his journey to Frankfort on foot, on a wagon of \$300. He will pass Henderson next Monday. He is in Union county this week.

The trial of the Beef Trust cases was begun Tuesday in Chicago, and after extended arguments, it was agreed that all the cases should be tried together. To-day the work of selecting jury will begin.

The Statehood fight in the Senate will be an interesting one. Foraker is for two states and Beveridge for one out of the territories of New Mexico and Arizona. The territories themselves are much opposed to the consolidation.

The doubtful list is fast becoming smaller as the time for the assembling of the Legislature draws near. Senator Brent Spence, of Campbell; Senator Nat A. Porter, of Warren; and Representatives J. M. Robertson and W. T. Wright, of Warren's two districts, are the latest members to come out for Paynter for Senator.

At last it is out. Miss Alice Roosevelt will be married in February to Congressman Nicholas Longworth, of Cincinnati. He is 35 years old, while Miss Roosevelt is not more than 23. The young Congressman made a trip to Asia last summer with the party which included Miss Roosevelt.

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with Local Applications, as they cannot reach the seat of the disease. Catarrh is a blood or constitutional disease, and in order to cure it you must take internal remedies. Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally, and acts directly on the blood and mucous surfaces. Hall's Catarrh Cure is not a quick medicine. It was prescribed by one of the best physicians in this country for years and is a regular prescription. It is composed of the best tonic known, combined with the best blood purifiers, acting directly on the mucous surfaces. The perfect combination of the two ingredients is what produces such wonderful results in curing Catarrh. Send for testimonials free.

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Those acts of violence in Todd county are greatly deplored in this city by the friends of the tobacco association. Riotous conditions chargeable to the friends of the association can have but one result, a loss of public sympathy. Vice President Chas. E. Barker in the following statement, speaks wisely and truly: "The great battle with the tobacco corporation has been won; the victory is ours. We are satisfactorily sampling tobacco suitable for the Italian contract, other buyers are at our warehouses waiting for the tobacco we have left, and we shall be able to sell all we have at satisfactory prices. We again urge our people to be patient and steadfast, and above all, to be prudent and moderate in word and deed. Let us frown down and discountenance all forms of violence. We have public sympathy and the law on our side; let us keep them there. No true friend of our association could advise otherwise."

SOUTHERN TELEGRAPH.

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to the disturbance or hindrance of common right." 6 American and English Enc. of Law.

"A malicious, or, at least, officious, interference in a suit in which the offender has no interest, to assist one of the parties to it, against the other, with money or advice to prosecute or defend the action without any authority of law." 1 Russell on Crimes.

"The intermeddling of a stranger in a suit for the purpose of stirring up strife and continuing the litigation." Bouvier's Law Dictionary.

We have been fortunate in securing some of the right of way blues of the Southern Telegraph Association, and in due time we will publish facsimiles of them. They offer \$10.00 per pole to be paid WHEN the poles are erected, the option to be good for twelve months. They know that by this time we will be through or they will have given us all the trouble they can. Then they will not build the line. Ten dollars per pole is about \$450 per mile. It would therefore cost about \$36,000 for the pole rights from Pulaski to Nashville. And every one who thinks twice before acting once knows the price will never be paid. Because they will never build the line.

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REVIVAL SERVICES

At First Presbyterian Church to Follow Gideons.

Arrangements for the meetings at the Baptist Church during the first week in January have about been completed.

Mr. Charles Palmer, who is regularly employed by the Gideons, will be the speaker for five consecutive nights. All the churches in the city will join in the services.

Rev. Edward H. Bull, pastor of the First Presbyterian church, has arranged with Rev. Thos. B. Terhune, of Huntington, Ind., to come here and conduct revival services, beginning Monday night, January 8th, and continuing for ten days or more.

Mr. Terhune is a Kentuckian, a graduate of Center College and McCormick Institute, Chicago. He has been highly successful in evangelistic work and never fails to attract large audiences. He came here last year to assist Mr. Bull in a series of meetings, but preached only once. The smallpox scare gave rise to a report that the City Council had determined to close all churches and schools, and under the circumstances Mr. Terhune and the officers of the church thought it best not to hold the services. So, after preaching Sunday morning Mr. Terhune left, promising to return when more favorable. People who hear him once will be glad to hear him often. He makes no attempt at oratory but preaches the Gospel in such a plain and earnest manner that all can understand and appreciate. While he wants to see all churches built up and strengthened, he is a soul-seeker more than anything else.

Huge Task.

It was a huge task, to undertake the cure of such a bad case of kidney disease, as that of C. F. Collier, of Cherokee, Ia., but Electric Bitters did it. He writes: "My kidneys were so far gone, I could not sit on a chair without a cushion; and suffered from dreadful backache, headache, and depression. In Electric Bitters, however, I found a cure, and by them was restored to perfect health. I recommend this great tonic medicine to all with weak kidneys, liver, or stomach. Guaranteed by R. C. Hardwick druggist; price 50c."

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The school book business will hereafter be done by the Anderson-Fowler Drug Co. This is due to the fact that the firm having the contract for several years desired to give it up and transferred all its stock to the new dealer. The state contract prices make a very close margin of profit to the book dealers and the business is not nearly so desirable as it used to be. The new firm makes a specialty of it news department and it is but a step forward for them to add the book department to their rapidly growing business.

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Neal Bell Falls From Pile of Lumber and Taken Up a Corpse.

LEAVES LARGE FAMILY.

Had Been Subject to Heart Trouble For Long Time.

Last Monday afternoon, about four o'clock, Neal Bell, colored, while unloading a wagon, fell and broke his neck.

Bell was one of the yard and wagon men of the Forbes Manufacturing Company, for whom he had been working many years. He was steady in his habits and was generally liked. He was standing on a pile of lumber about six feet from the ground, and while moving a piece of lumber with one of his feet, lost his balance and fell between two piles of lumber.

The other men ran to his assistance but when taken out Bell was a corpse. One of the men who had worked with Bell testified before the Coroner's jury that for several months Bell had frequent attacks of weakness which compelled him at times to stop work until his strength returned, and that he also suffered pain in his head.

There seems to be no doubt that the unfortunate man had heart failure, which caused him to fall to his death without a moment's warning. He leaves a wife and several children.

Coroner Allensworth was notified and he summoned a jury, which returned the following verdict:

We the jury, summoned by Coroner James L. Allensworth, to look into the death of Neal Bell, find from the evidence that in falling from a pile of lumber in the yards of the Forbes Mfg. Co., his neck was broken.

December 11, 1905.
D. M. Berry, foreman; Wm. McNichols, A. M. Withers, Jim Brown, F. P. Leavell, E. A. Kevell, James L. Allensworth, Coroner, C. C.

FOUND DEAD IN BED.

J. M. Pemberton, of Madisonville, Succumbs to Apoplectic Attack.

Madisonville, Ky., Dec. 10.—J. M. Pemberton, aged 70 years, one of the wealthiest and best known citizens of this county, was found dead in his bed this morning at 11 o'clock, death having resulted from apoplexy. For a number of years he was a prominent tobacco buyer here, but retired a few years since. He owned much valuable property in the county.

CUBAN MINISTER TO THE U. S. Recommends Per-u-na.



Senor Quesada, Cuban Minister to the United States.

Senor Quesada, Cuban Minister to the United States, is an orator born. In an article in The Outlook for July, 1899, by George Kennan, who heard Quesada speak at the Esteban Theater, Matanzas, Cuba, he said: "I have seen many audiences under the spell of eloquent speech and in the grip of strong emotional excitement; but I have rarely witnessed such a scene as at the close of Quesada's enlogy upon the dead patriot, Martí." In a letter to The Peruna Medicine Company, written from Washington, D. C., Senor Quesada says:

"Peruna I can recommend as a very good medicine. It is an excellent strengthening tonic, and it is also an efficacious cure for the almost universal complaint of catarrh."—Gonzalo De Quesada.

Congressman J. H. Rankhead, of Alabama, one of the most influential members of the House of Representatives, in a letter written from Washington, D. C., gives his endorsement to the great catarrh remedy, Peruna, in the following words:

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Flagman on Gracey & Clarksville Train Given Agency.

G. H. Schackeleit, flagman on the Clarksville and Gracey branch of the L. & N., has been appointed night ticket and baggage agent of the company at Clarksville. He succeeds H. C. Hicks, who has been appointed city and passenger agent of the same company, for their up-town office, which will be opened in a few days in the Arlington hotel.

No Secret About It.

It is no secret, that Cuts, Burns, Ulcers, Fever Sores, Sore Eyes, Boils, etc., nothing is so effective as Bucklen's Arnica Salve. "It didn't take long to cure a bad sore I had and it is all O. K. for sore eyes," writes D. L. Gregory, of Hope, Tex. 25c at R. C. Hardwick's drug store.

MAY LOSE OFFICE.

Secretary Shaw Recommends That Paducah Port Be Discontinued.

Washington, D. C., Dec. 13.—Should Congress follow Secretary Shaw's recommendation Paducah, Ky., will soon cease to be a custom collection port. During the last fiscal year it cost \$450 to maintain the office and not a dollar of receipts came in.

There are fifty-one ports of entry which cost the government more to maintain than they bring in, their aggregate receipts last year being \$47,000 and their expenses \$156,000.

Will Lecture at Pembroke.

Dr. D. H. Ekklelian, of Laytonsville, will deliver a lecture at Pembroke Tuesday night, Dec. 19. His subject will be "Armenian Massacres."

ACUTE SITUATION IN TODD COUNTY.

(Continued from First Page.)

The representatives of the association demanded that the buyers for the trust surrender their contracts with the growers, and the buyers refused. The association members, seeing how the people were aroused, told the buyers plainly they would not be responsible for the consequences if the contracts were not surrendered.

Nearly thirty per cent. of the growers in Todd county have refused to join the association, and continue to sell to the trust. Their persistence in what the association members consider going against their own interests and those of the other growers is declared to be responsible for the bitter feeling.

AMUSEMENTS.

"King Richard I I I"

Shakespeare's plays appeal to the highest order of intelligence; they are the exalted ideas of dramatic literature. "King Richard the Third" is undoubtedly the best of them, as far as the requirements of stagecraft are concerned. It is vigorous, interesting and portrays the perverted mentality of a King to whom Nature had refused any attractive physical qualities.

No living actor can play King Richard as well as John Griffith. It has been his study for years and he brings to his portrayal all his mental and physical requirements that his consummate art commands. He will play it here on December 22 at Holland's opera house and will have the support of an excellent company and adequate scenic embellishment.

NO INDICATION

That Hopkinsville Will Enjoy Baseball Next Season.

While other places are talking about making preliminary arrangements for baseball the coming season, not a whisper has been heard here in regard to it. It is pretty safe to say that, for a while, at least, we will not have any ball outside of local amateur games. It is said that Morris has signed to play with Decatur and Bomar has opened up a barber shop in Bell Buckle, Tenn. The local enthusiasts have as yet manifested no desire for the organization of a club for 1906.

On sale Friday and Saturday, 1,000 lbs. sugar, almost white, 5 cts. the pound, cash. Hopkinsville Grocery Co. (Incorporated).

JAMES' TOBACCO BILL.

Text of the First District Congressman's Measure.

Washington, Dec. 13.—Ollie M. James, of the First Kentucky district, is very much interested in securing the influence of prominent members of the House in behalf of his bill to remove the tax from tobacco. The bill is one in which every tobacco planter will be interested. It is, in full, as follows:

"Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That unstemmed tobacco in the natural leaf, or stemmed tobacco in the natural leaf, or natural leaf tobacco in the hand twist, which said tobacco is not adulterated in any way, shall not be subject to any internal revenue tax or charge of any kind whatsoever, and it shall be lawful for any person to buy and sell such unstemmed tobacco in the natural leaf, or stemmed tobacco in the natural leaf, or natural leaf tobacco in the hand twist, which said tobacco is not adulterated, without the payment of any tax whatever. That all laws and parts of laws in conflict herewith are hereby repealed."

BACK IN HARNESS.

Harvey Breathitt Will Resume Clerical Work.

Mr. Harvey W. Breathitt will after January 1st be Quarterly Court Clerk in the office of his brother, County Judge James Breathitt. His long experience in the County Clerk's office makes him especially well qualified for the duties of his new position. There is no doubt that the office will be well conducted.

COUNTY MAP

Cheapest and Most Useful Premium Ever Offered By a Paper.

The map of Christian county compiled by the Kentuckian for sale, or for distribution as a premium to its cash-in-advance subscribers for 1906, has been received and samples can be seen at the office. It comprises many features of great value to citizens of the city and county. It shows all voting precincts in colors and all rural routes in the county are outlined. All railroads, county roads of importance, and streams appear. It gives all postoffices, railroad stations and points of interest. Distances are indicated and much statistical information is given on the margins. The map will be sold for 50 cents, or given as a premium to subscribers who pay \$2 for a full year in advance of December, 1905.

A Bad Scare.

Some day you will get a bad scare, when you feel a pain in your bowels, and fear appendicitis. Safety lies in Dr. King's New Life Pills, a sure cure, for all bowel and stomach diseases, such as headache, biliousness, costiveness, etc. Guaranteed at R. C. Hardwick's drug store, only 25c. Try them.

First Game Tonight.

The first game of basket ball between Bethel College, Russellville, and the S. K. C. team, will be played here tonight. The second contest comes off tomorrow night.

Elkin Instead of Elgin.

In Tuesday's Kentuckian the types made us say that R. A. Elgin was the purchaser of Mr. C. B. Mencham's farm. It should have been R. A. Elkin.

GREAT ARTIST.

Bertha Kunz Baker, Tabernacle Dec. 19-20.

Mrs. Bertha Kunz Baker will give her three most popular programs within our city. Tuesday night, Dec. 19, she will give "I Was King." Wednesday afternoon, Dec. 20, "Cyrano de Bergerac." Wednesday night, Dec. 20, "Parifal." Prices: Reserved seats 50 cents each; children under 12 years, 25c; general admission, 50c. As we look for large audiences for this superb attraction, we advise you to reserve seats in advance. At this time Mrs. Baker is in Chicago, where she is a great favorite, and comes from that city to Hopkinsville. Mrs. Baker gave Parifal last season in Chicago and filled the theater at \$1 per seat. So you see our prices for this attraction are very low. Bertha Kunz Baker is very much like a young married lady who lives in Hopkinsville. Who is she? Below we give press notice:

Mrs. Baker is as delightful a reader as she is a thorough scholar. Her recitals are marked by extraordinary force and a thorough appreciation of her subject. She interprets the great dramas in a masterly style and never fails to enlist the sympathies of her audience, a fact which was well shown by their frequent approval last evening.—Philadelphia Times.

Stray Notice.

Taken up by W. C. Dossett, living on Fairview and Pembroke road, one red short horn cow, about three years old, with white spot in forehead with little white under belly. Taken up about the 13th of November, 1905, and appraised by me at ten dollars.

Subscribed to by W. C. Dossett and G. W. Combs. This, Dec. 11th, 1905. W. L. PARKER, J. P. C. C.

Christmas Presents

That Will Last!

Here are seven complete stores under one roof---filled with pretty, useful presents---pres nts that will last and be a constant reminder of the giver. Look the list over and come before the rush of the last days---pick it out for HER or HIM and if they don't suit we will gladly exchange after Christmas.

One Of These Will Delight "Him."

A sole Leather Suit Case at \$5.00, better one at \$6.00 to \$8.50 up to the handsomest elected RUSSIA LEATHER case at

\$10.00 to \$13.50.

Traveling Bags in Genuine Russia Leather \$6.00, to Russia Calf, leather lined, at \$10.00 to \$15.00.

Trunks! Trunks!

Just to gratify a few who might want to make a present of a fine Trunk, we bought a magnificent line of Trunks for Christmas at

\$12.50 to \$35.00

Each. One of these would last a lifetime. Think of the pleasure a present for a lifetime would give.

Shoe Department.

For a lady a pair of Patent Leather evening Slippers, a pair of Patent leather Walking Boots, at \$4.00 a pair boudoir fur trimmed slippers, all colors, at

\$1.00 to \$1.50.

For a man a pair of Patent Leather Shoes at

\$3.00 to \$6.00.

Any of the above always acceptable.

Dry Goods Department.

There are hundreds of pretty, useful presents in this department to gladden the heart of wife, sister, mother, daughter, or "her." We mention a few specially priced for Xmas.

Dozens and dozens of styles of ladies fancy ties from 25c to \$2.

Pure Linen Handkerchiefs at 5c to \$1.50.

Hosiery at 25c for special values up to \$1.50 for pure Silk.

A real Kid Glove at \$1 to \$1.50 for best.

Dress Patterns at 2.00 to 35.00.

STORE WILL BE OPEN UNTIL 9.00 P. M. 'TILL XMAS.

Clothing Department.

For Men and Boys this department is brim full of useful articles bought especially for the Holidays. Ties, Handkerchiefs, Mufflers, and everything to add to the dress and comfort of man—not forgetting a pretty line of Baths Robes at \$6.00 each.

Carpet Department.

Nothing more acceptable than a new Carpet on Christmas morning.

A new rug in Fine Moquet quality, dresser size, at	2 00
Hearth size.....	3 50
Room size Wilton Rugs, worth \$37.50, for.....	30 00
Same Rugs in 4x7 foot size at.....	10 00
Best Axminster Rugs, 9x12, at.....	25 00
Seamless Tapestry Rugs, worth \$20.00, for Xmas.....	17 50
Best Tapestry Rugs, 9x12, at.....	15 00
Best Tapestry Rugs in 8-8x10-6 size at.....	12 50
Finest Seamless Velvet Rugs, 9x12, at.....	26 00

Lace Curtains!

A wonderfully beautiful line of Lace Curtains at \$1.00 to \$10.00 a pair, for Christmas—10 per cent. discount.

What's Better Than a Lap Robe?

A great assortment Chase plush Lap Robes, from \$1.75 to \$15.00. Nothing more useful than a Lap Robe.

The Rush is now on and for the Convenience of City Shoppers the Store will be Kept Open EVERY NIGHT until 9 O'clock from now 'till Xmas.

J. H. ANDERSON & COMPANY.

HERE AND THERE.

Fire works, Hopkinsville Grocery Co. (Inc.)
All kinds of lumber for sale. Phone 172. J. H. Winfree
Dr. E. N. Fruit, Dentist, office over City Bank, Hopkinsville, Ky.
Everything for the Christmas dinner. Hopkinsville Grocery Co. (Inc.)
Drs. Oldham and Gregory, Osteopaths, 705 S. Clay St., Hopkinsville, Kentucky.
Thirty-two coal barges containing 260,000 bushels of coal, the property of Pittsburgh coal companies, were sunk in a gale at Hawesville, Ky.
Scenic and spectacular production of Humpty-Dumpty at Opera House to-morrow night.
Where a stimulant is indicated, the doctor prescribes good, pure whiskey—L. W. HARPER is the ideal liquor—none better. Sold by W. R. Long, Hopkinsville, Ky.

For all kinds of rough building material, and wood and saw dust, Call Cumberland house No. 400, Home phone No. 1170. Free delivery in city limits. Dering, Frank & Lewis Lumber Co.

Special engagement of the gorgeous scenic, spectacular Humpty-Dumpty Co. to-morrow night Holland's Opera House.

Grain Market.

Corrected each issue by A. M. Cooper & Co., Brokers (successors to M. D. Boales). Phones: Cumberland, 3; Home, 1304. Upstairs in Phoenix building, Hopkinsville, Ky.

WHEAT—OPEN	HIGH	LOW	CLOSE
Dec....	87 1/2	87 1/2	88 1/2
May....	89 1/2	89 1/2	89 1/2
July....	84 1/2	84 1/2	85 1/2
Corn—			
Dec....	41 1/2	41 1/2	44 1/2
May....	41 1/2	41 1/2	44 1/2
July....	44 1/2	44 1/2	44 1/2
Oats—			
Dec....	31 1/2	31 1/2	30 1/2
May....	32 1/2	32 1/2	32 1/2
July....	31 1/2	31 1/2	30 1/2

Good to Remember!

WHY PEOPLE GET THE HABIT!
THINGS OBTAINABLE AT NO OTHER STORE IN TOWN.

- 1 Quick and prompt reply to all telephone calls at all hours, day or night.
- 2 All the leading Daily Papers.
- 3 Absolute correct time from our Western Union electric clock, (by phone or visit).
- 4 "Thelma," the new Perfume.
- 5 Prompt service in obtaining trained nurses without cost to you.
- 6 Gunther's Candies.
- 7 All the leading Magazines on sale every day.
- 8 Haubigant's Perfume and Face Powder.
- 9 Kentucky Belle Cigars.
- 10 Opera dates and seats.
- 11 Quick prompt service and the best drinks at our fountain, which you are cordially invited to visit.

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Leave Your Orders

With the Savage Floral Company for Cut Flowers and Holly for Christmas.

CITY TO BUY THE OLD JAIL

Splendidly Adapted For A Prisoners' Lock-up

PRICES AGREED UPON

The Old City Prison is Satisfy Out of Repair And Too Small

Councilmen Jackson and Ware, on behalf of the city, closed a trade Tuesday with County Judge Fowler for the old jail property on the Southwest corner of Weber and Fifth streets, one square west of the present city lockup. The price fixed by the Fiscal Court recently was \$1,000 and the representatives of the city agreed to pay that amount. The council will have to meet and ratify the deal.

The Fiscal Court will also have to approve the action of Judge Fowler. The building is a commodious one, one half of which is a residence for the jailer and the other is the old jail proper, filled up with cells on two floors, the prison used for many years until the new county jail adjoining it was completed.

The residence is now occupied by J. F. Hancock and immediate possession could not be given.

The old lockup on Fifth street is too small, is badly located and very much out of repair. It will take at least \$500 to overhaul and enlarge it to meet the present requirements of the city, since the workhouse has been abolished and all prisoners are kept in the lockup. The county already owes the city nearly \$500, so that the actual cash outlay would be about \$1,000 for a complete prison that would give abundant capacity for years to come.

The present site is also a valuable asset. It is large enough for market house purposes or could be set in grass and trees and made into a little park in the rear of the city building. The disposition of this lot would, of course, be a matter for future consideration.

PERSONAL GOSSIP.

Mr. R. H. DeTreville and Miss Cornelia DeTreville are in Cincinnati. Mr. Jesse Russell, who has been quite ill at his home on South Walnut street, was reported no better yesterday.

Miss Tommie Lyle Waller, who had been visiting Miss Bettie Lee Smith, returned to her home in Morganfield last Tuesday.

Mrs. Dan W. Chilton, of Pembroke, who had been visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. M. Wallis, returned home yesterday.

Mr. O. L. Bass and family, who had been here several months, left Tuesday for their home in Pensacola, Fla.

Mr. W. E. Reeves, of Mayfield, was in the city yesterday on business. Mr. Reeves' friends will regret to learn that his little daughter is very ill with typhoid fever.

Mr. David A. Tandy, who has been making his home in Shelbyville, Tenn., for the past eighteen months, is spending a few days with relatives and friends in the city and county.

Wolfe-Swain.

Jerome H. Wolfe and Miss Erma Swain, young people of this city, were united in marriage Tuesday night. The ceremony was performed at the residence of Rev. J. L. Wyatt, the officiating minister.

Goolsley-Stewart.

Bedford Goolsley and Miss Mollie K. Stewart, young people who live in the Pembroke neighborhood, were married at the home of the bride yesterday.

The court martial sentence in the case of Midshipman Merriweather was made public Tuesday in Washington. Merriweather is to be confined to the limits of the naval academy for one year, and is to be publicly reprimanded by the Secretary of the Navy. He killed another cadet in a flat fight, the result of a challenge.

Christmas at Keach's.

All Preparations Are Made! We Are Ready With the Greatest Assortment of Most Beautiful and Useful Articles for

Holiday Gifts.

Just a Few Suggestions—

LEATHER COUCHES, ROCKERS AND CHAIRS, TOILET TABLES, PRINCESS DRESSERS, LADIES' DISKS, FANCY CHAIRS, DAVENPORT BEDS, LIBRARY TABLES, PEDESTALS, HALL TREES, CHIFFONNIERS, ROOM SIZE RUGS AND SMALL RUGS.

DON'T WAIT—BUY NOW When the stock is bright and fresh, the assortment unbroken, and there is no rush or hurry. We will hold all purchases subject to your order for future delivery. Remember first buyers have always the best selection.



FOR YOUR HUSBAND, a nice Morris chair will make an ideal Christmas present. We have them from \$12.00 to \$25.00.

Keach Furniture Co.,

Ninth Street.

HOPKINSVILLE'S LEADING FURNITURE STORE.

TOBACCO MORTGAGED

Amount Drawn About \$15,000 Over Last Year.

Mortgages on the 1931 crop of tobacco in Christian County given and recorded in the County Clerk's office, aggregate \$36,272.65. The total amount of the weed mortgaged is 1,895,000 pounds. The amount of money obtained on the crop this year exceeds that drawn in a similar manner last year by nearly \$15,000.

Dying of Famine

is, in its torments, like dying of consumption. The progress of consumption from the beginning to the very end, is a long torture, both to victim and friends. "When I had consumption in its first stage," writes Wm. Meyers, of Cearloss, Md., "after trying different medicines and a good doctor, in vain, I at last took Dr. King's New Discovery, which quickly and perfectly cured me." Prompt relief and sure cure for coughs, colds, sore throat, bronchitis, etc. Positively prevents pneumonia. Guaranteed at R. C. Hardwick's drug store, price 50c and \$1.00 a bottle. Trial bottle free.

Estray Notice.

Taken up by Mrs. E. D. Davis, living about four miles East of Hopkinsville, one Jersey cow, white in face and white stripe on left hip, white under belly and white waist. Said cow was taken up about the first of November, 1930, and appraised by me at ten dollars.

This, December 11, 1930.

W. L. PARKER, J. P. C. C.

Makes Assignment.

Louisville, Ky., Dec. 11.—With liabilities amounting to \$37,000 and with only \$2.87 in the treasury, E. D. Martin and the Board of Directors of the Peoples' Life and Accident Insurance Company, with headquarters in this city, late this afternoon filed a deed of assignment and asked for the appointment of a receiver.

READ THIS!

Trenton, Ky., Jan. 24, 1902.—Dr. E. W. Hall, St. Louis, Mo., Dear Sir: Please find enclosed \$1 for one bottle of your Texas Wonder. I used one bottle for kidney and bladder trouble. I want the bottle for my wife. It is a real wonder and one of the greatest medicines in the world. I was passing pure blood and one bottle cured me sound and well. You can use my testimonial and photograph if you wish. R. A. Williams, Real Estate Agent.

A Texas Wonder.

One small bottle of the Texas Wonder, Hall's Great Discovery, cures all kidney and bladder troubles, removes gravel, diabetes, seminal emissions, weak and lame backs, rheumatism and all irregularities of the kidneys and bladder in men and women and regulates bladder troubles in children. If not sold by your druggist will be sent by mail on receipt of \$1.00. One small bottle is two months treatment and seldom fails to perfect a cure. Dr. E. W. Hall, sole manufacturer, P. O. Box 629, St. Louis, Mo. Send for testimonial. Sold by all druggists and R. C. Hardwick, Hopkinsville.

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Get a good watch to run for you, and be sure of your minutes.
AN ACCURATE, RELIABLE TIME KEEPER, THE KIND WE SELL

can be bought now for a very little money. Let us show them to you.

REPAIRING A SPECIALTY—Eyes scientifically and accurately fitted. Eyes examined free.

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ROCK and DIRT!

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OFFICE BUILDING HOPKINSVILLE, KY.
CORRESPONDENCE SOLICITED

10 Per Cent.

Discount on all 5 lb. Boxes Candy at P. J. Breslin's Candy Kitchen.

See Humpty Dumpty at the Opera House Friday night, December 15.

Xmas Candies!

READ THIS! IT MAY SAVE YOU MONEY!

It Has Been Our Custom Every Xmas to Have a BIG SALE ON CANDIES. Our Stock is Larger Than Ever This Year, and We Will Put on Sale Thursday and Friday the Largest and Best Assortment of Candies We Have Ever Handled.

At Prices Just About One Half of What These Goods Will Cost You In a Rush.

Eagle Stick Candy, all flavors, pure goods (Only 5 lbs. to a customer. Will not sell to merchants at this price) 5c lb
Large Barber Pole Stick, 3 to 1 lb sticks 7c lb
Grocers' Mixed Candy, all kinds 7c lb
French Kisses 10c lb
Best Broken Time 10c lb
We have ten baskets Plain Mixed Candy, usually sells for 15c a pound, our price now 3 POUNDS FOR 15c
French Candy Candy, worth 20c a pound 10c lb
Two pounds of Chocolate Drops for 25c lb
Peanut Candy, very fine 25c lb
Hand Made Mixed Candy, all flavors 20c lb
Five Pound Boxes of Hand-Made Creams \$1.25 box
Walnut Creams, Peppermint Creams and other goods worth 40c a pound, Our Special Price per pound is 25c
Mixed Nuts 15c lb
English Walnuts, Almonds, Brazil Nuts, strictly new goods 20c lb

TOYS! We want to invite all our friends to call and take a look at our big stock of toys. We think the prices are right on them. This candy sale is for 3 days only, and if sold out will not replace it for same price. Don't put it off until the sale is over, and then you will be sorry you did not take advantage of the opportunity offered you. Competent salesmen to wait upon the crowd.

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Bank of Hopkinsville,

(INCORPORATED.)

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Deeds! Titles! Papers! Mortgages! Bonds! Notes! Receipts! Life Policies! Fire Policies! Jewelry! Silverware, Souvenirs, Heirlooms, Etc.

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